# The City of Liberty Lake

#### June 2006

#### Mayor's Message

Here at the City we are constantly striving to make Liberty Lake extraordinary an community to live, work, and play in. We are well on our way to becoming the first jurisdiction in the implement area to large-scale retail e stablish ment standards, as well as being the first city in the Northwest to be a host to a Street of Dreams neighborhood. We take pride in being leaders in innovative development and you will continue to see this as the City moves forward. We are excited to see what the future will bring!

Mayor Steve Peterson

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#### Your Monthly Connection to the City of Liberty Lake

## Liberty Link

#### Committed to Fostering Community Enrichment



ROCKY HILL PARK. A neighborhood workshop was held on May 18th at the Rocky Hill Sales Office to discuss a vision for activities and development of Rocky Hill Park, as well as a preliminary schedule for master planning and phased construction. Led by Mike Terrell, the Landscape Architect for Greenstone, the workshop began with a tour of the 14 acre site, a brief discussion of the history of the barn and the well house, and a hike up "Rocky Hill" to take in the

surrounding views. The participants discussed ideas for the park such as swings, play equipment, picnic areas, paths and trails, view opportunities, gathering areas, community art, parking, water features and ballfields, as well as whether the park would be more passive or active overall with choice of activities and features. This workshop was the first in a series of public participation opportunities for design of the park. Watch the City website, this newsletter, and the Liberty Lake Splash for more. A survey is also available if you would like to share your thoughts for Rocky Hill Park. To receive notices of future meetings, contact Mike Terrell, ASLA at 252-7507, ext. 129 or by email at mterrell@greenstonehomes.com.







**County Park Passes Are Back!** Pick up a season Park Pass at City Hall for \$50! The pass is good at Liberty Lake County Park, Bear Lake, and Fish Lake.

#### Liberty Lake Joins the Big Leagues with the Street of Dreams-

What does the City of Liberty Lake have in common with Las Vegas, San Diego, Sacramento and Tucson? In June and July of this summer, Liberty Lake will join these cities in being a host for a "Street of Dreams" neighborhood. This will be the first event of its kind in the Spokane and Coeur d'Alene area, and is expected to draw around 30,000 visitors. This is a wonderful opportunity for many people to get their first glimpse of our city, and a great chance for residents to view some spectacular homes! See page 3 for dates, times, & ticket prices...

LIBERTY LAKE YARD SALE IS JUNE 10TH FROM 8AM - 4PM, WWW.LIBERTYLAKEYARDSALE.ORG



#### Volunteers needed for October Masquerade Ball-

This event is taking the place of the Holiday Ball this year to raise money for the Friends of Pavillion Park sponsored movies and concerts. If you are interested in helping to organize for this years Masquerade Ball, please contact Lori at 921-7612. The next meeting is scheduled for June 20th at 7 p.m.

#### **Inside the City**

## Planning Commission Completes Review of Large-Scale Retail Establishment Standards

After extensive input from the development community, the draft standards received a recommendation of approval with two minor modifications from the Planning Commission at their May 3rd meeting. The draft standards, a first in Spokane County, will now move to the City Council for review. The standards will regulate Large-Scale Retail Establishment Site Design & Features, Outdoor Display/ Sales Areas & Accessory Uses, Building Design, Materials & Colors, Adaptability for Reuse/ Compartmentalization/ Redevelopment, and Signage to maintain the character and aesthetics of Liberty Lake. For more information or to receive a copy of the draft standards, please visit our website at www.libertylakewa.gov or call 755-6708.

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Members of the public met with the City Council on May 2nd at Liberty Lake

Elementary to give feedback on two preliminary site concepts for the Civic Center Campus to be located on the 6 acre City property, S. of Appleway and W. of Signal Rd. At their May 16th meeting, the City Council voted to have the Community Center portion combined with the Library, located on the SE corner of the site, and to investigate the economy of scale for design of the library and community center. The design concept process will continue throughout the summer with opportunities for additional public input throughout the process.

#### Legislative Reception May 2nd at City Hall





#### Stateline Visitor's Center Ribbon Cutting May 11th





#### **Liberty Lake Lifestyles**

**Liberty Lake Municipal Library** 

## Teen Summer Internship 2006

Looking for interesting work? Earn service hours for school and references for jobs and college by interning this summer at the library! Teen interns must be at least 15 years old and be able to provide 6-8 weeks of service for a total of 40 hours over the summer. These internships are not paid positions, but at the end of the summer the intern will earn a scholarship or savings bond worth \$150. Applications are available at the library and must be submitted by June 17th.

For more information contact the library!

1421 N. Meadowwood Ln, Suite 140 (509)232-2510

#### Project MOVE needs volunteer mentors for youth in Spokane County.



Many youth in our community are ready to be matched with a mentor to help support and guide them as they transition from high school on to employment or college. The youth have a wide range of interests, abilities, and desires, and Project MOVE Match Coordinators will work closely with you to determine the best match for both parties. Project

MOVE participants receive significant support and guidance from Match Coordinators to make the most of their mentoring relationship. Each month Project MOVE produces a newsletter filled with community events and free trainings designed to assist the mentee in finding appropriate activities that will help them to achieve their employment or educational goals. Project MOVE Match Coordinators are also available to help answer questions or offer advice when needed. Project MOVE is the first mentoring program focused on youth with disabilities in Spokane County. The program is aimed at youth ages 16-21 who are in transition between high school and the workforce or college. Project MOVE offers an excellent opportunity for interested adults to support a young person, give back to their community, and have fun while doing it. If you are interested in becoming a mentor with Project MOVE please contact Cathy Sacco or Tim Foster at WISE, (509) 328-2310, or tim@theinitiative.ws or businesses can contact John Sjolund at Community-Minded Enterprises (509) 444-3088 Ext. 243, or johns@community-minded.org.

#### **Summer in Liberty Lake**





## THE 2006 SPOKANE STREET OF DREAMS AT LEGACY RIDGE - June 10th - July 23rd

Six show homes (4,800 to 6,000 square feet) built by Aspen Homes, Freedom Homes, Gunder Homes, and Timbercreek Homes will be on display along Bennett Lane in Legacy Ridge from June 10th – July 23rd (Closed Mondays and Tuesdays). Each home will be completely furnished and accessorized by a leading interior designer and the show homes will be priced up to \$2.5 Million. All the homes are located on a beautiful cul-de-sac at the top of a hill overlooking Liberty Lake and the Spokane Valley.

#### Show Hours are:

- Wednesday Friday, 10 a.m. 8:30 p.m. (ticket sales end @ 7 p.m.)
- Saturday & Sunday, 10 a.m. 7:30 p.m. (ticket sales end @ 6 p.m.)

#### Ticket Prices (includes Show Magazine) are:

- Weekends \$12 Adults, \$10 Seniors (65+) & Children age 3-12, and Children Under 3 are free.
- Weekdays \$10 Adults, \$8 Seniors (65+) & Children age 3-12, and Children Under 3 are free.

Free parking is available at the show. A free shuttle will bring you from the parking lot to the Ticket Office. For more info. visit www.legacyridge.net or www.streetofdreams.com (Spokane 2006)



LIBERTY LAKE MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

#### Paws, Claws, Scales & Tales!

Summer 2006 Reading Program July 8<sup>th</sup> - August 5<sup>th</sup>

Animal lovers of all kinds are invited to join the Summer Reading Program at Liberty Lake Municipal Library. The 2006 program is open to young people, pre-school through young adult, with special programs, prizes, story hours, a reading club and more! Families are invited to join the Read-To-Me portion of the program.

PLUS; an exciting, optional addition to our Summer Reading Program!

Through reading sponsorship and other fund-raising efforts, readers can help needy families become self-reliant through the gift of livestock—from chickens and rabbits to llamos and cows—with Heifer International.

Don't miss out! Registration begins May 27th

For more information contact the library!

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#### LIBERTY LAKE MUNICIPAL LIBRARY



#### Storytimes for June

Tuesday, Friday, & Saturday Mornings 10:30 - 11:00 Toddlers (Ages 3-5) (Parents/caregivers, please plan to stay during storytime)

Week of June 6<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>

Birthdays are GREAT, whether it's yours or a friend's. Come for birthday stories and learn the letter "K" in Sign Language!

Week of June 13<sup>th</sup> — 17<sup>th</sup>

Celebrate dad and his special day—Father's Day! Learn some more Sign Language.

Week of June 20th — 24th

We like to laugh at the library? Do you? Come for silly stories that will tickle your funny bone! Can you sign up to "M"?

Week of June 27th - July 1st

Parades, picnics, flags and fireworks! It must be time for Independence Day!!
Do you remember how to sign your ABC's up to "M"?

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### POSTAL PATRON OR CURRENT RESIDENT





Liberty Lake K-Kids Flower Planting at City Hall May 9th

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#### **Get Involved - June 2006**

#### Thursday, June 1st

Rotary, 12 p.m., Caffe Liberté

#### Tuesday, June 6th

City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall

#### Wednesday, June 7th

- Kiwanis, 6:45 a.m., City Hall
- SCOPE, 7 p.m., City Hall

#### Thursday, June 8th

· Rotary, 12 p.m., Caffe Liberté

#### Saturday, June 10th

 Liberty Lake Yard Sale Day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

#### Monday, June 12th

 Central Valley School Board, 6:30 p.m., 19307 E. Cataldo

Flag Day

#### Wednesday, June 14th

 Kiwanis, 6:45 a.m., City Hall

 Planning Commission, 4 p.m., City Hall

Meadowwood
 Homeowner's Assoc. Meeting,
 7 p.m., City Hall

#### Thursday, June 15th

Rotary, 12 p.m., Caffe Liberté

#### Sunday, June 18th

Happy Father's Day !!

#### Tuesday, June 20th

• City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall

#### Wednesday, June 21st

- First Day of Summer
- Kiwanis, 6:45 a.m., City Hall
- Sewer / Water Board, 7 p.m., Denny Ashlock Building

#### Thursday, June 22nd

• Rotary, 12 p.m., Caffe Liberté

#### Monday, June 26th

 Central Valley School Board, 6:30 p.m., 19307 E. Cataldo

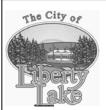
#### Wednesday, June 28th

• Kiwanis, 6:45 a.m., City Hall

#### Thursday, June 29th

Rotary, 12 p.m., Caffe Liberté

#### **Contact the City**



Mayor Steve Peterson

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City Administration	755-6700
• Planning & Community Development	755-6707
Liberty Lake Police Department	
<ul> <li>Emergency</li> </ul>	911
<ul> <li>On-Duty Officer Cell</li> </ul>	218-4899
<ul> <li>Chief Brian Asmus</li> </ul>	755-1141
<ul> <li>Police Fax</li> </ul>	755-1144
• S.C.O.P.E.	755-1143
<ul> <li>Liberty Lake Municipal Library</li> </ul>	232-2510
Trailhead Golf Course	928-3484

For more contact information and e-mail addresses, visit our website at www.libertylakewa.gov

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